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WHITE HOUSE PASS PALM SPRINGS FOR SECRETARY

FOR GOMPERT FROM FUNSETH (S/PRS)

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF REUTERS REPORTS 5:09 P.M. E.D.T. THAT
SECRETARY WILL HAVE NEWS CONFERENCE TOMORROW:

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INDOCHINA - KISSINGER

PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, APRIL 4, REUTER: SECRETARY OF
STATE HENRY KISSINGER WILL HOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE TOMORROW
MORNING, THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED TODAY. THE PRESS CON-
FERENCE WILL FOLLOW A MEETING EARLIER IN THE DAY WITH
PRESIDENT FORD AND GENERAL FREDERICK WEYAND, ARMYCHIEF OF
STAFF, WHO HAS JUST RETURNED FROM A PRESIDENTIAL FACT-
FINDING TRIP TO SOUTH VIETNAM."

ADD ON TO STORY IN LATER ITEM SAYS:

"THE WHITE HOUSE ALSO ANNOUNCED DR. KISSINGER WOULD HOLD A
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PRESS CONFERENCE AT 10:00 A.M. P.D.T. IT GAVE NO DETAILS

OF WHAT HE WOULD TALK ABOUT BUT IT WAS EXPECTED HE MIGHT
MAKE A NEW PLEA FOR AID TO SOUTH VIETNAM, SO FAR IGNORED BY
CONGRESS." INGERSOLL

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